#### REMARKS

## A. Related Patent Applications

Applicant invites the attention of the examiner to the following copending U.S. patent applications of the present inventor:

- a. Nano Size Semiconductor Components & Method of Making Serial No 10/262,310 filed September 30, 2002
- b. Laser Synthesized Wide Bandgap Semiconductor Electronic Device & Circuits Serial No: 10/716,366 filed November 18, 2003
- c. Apparatus & Method For Crystallographic Transformation of Substrate Serial No: 60/546,564 filed February 19, 2004
- d. Process for Fabricating Semiconductor Component Serial No: 60/575,851 filed June 1, 2004
- e. Laser Assisted Nano Deposition Serial No: 60/592,925 filed July 26, 2004

### B. Outstanding Action

The claims 1-22 were allowed.

Claim 24 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112.

Claims 23-30 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as stated in the outstanding office action.

### C. Status Of Claims

Claims 1-30 were pending in the application prior to the instant Amendment and are now pending.

### D. <u>Citation of Prior Art</u>

Applicant is enclosing a citation of prior art (PTO/SB/08A) for consideration by the examiner. Since the application was filed after June 30, 2003, copy of each of the references identified in the citation of prior art (PTO/SB/08A) is not enclosed.

### E. Pending Claim

Applicant notes with appreciation the allowance of claim 1-22.

Claim 24 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter of the invention. Claim 24 has been amended to overcome the rejection under 35 U.S.C. 112.

Claims 23-30 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Salama et al. (Compound Semiconductors, 2003 International Symposium). Applicant is enclosing a Declaration of Invention under 37 C.F.R. 1.131. Applicant verily believes the Declaration of Invention under 37 C.F.R. 1.131 overcomes the rejection under 35 U.S.C. 102(b).

The prior art made of record but not relied upon has been reviewed and appears to be less pertinent to the claimed subject matter than the references cited by the Examiner. The remaining references do not teach nor suggest the structure set forth in the proposed claim

# F. Precautionary Request for an Extension of Time

In the event the present filing is not timely filed, applicant request an Extension of Time for an appropriate period of time. Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-2120 for the fees for any Extension of Time.

#### G. Additional Fees

Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-2120 for the fees for any additional claims, an Extension of Time, Citation of Prior Art, Petitions, Terminal Disclaimers or any other fee arising out of this correspondence.

Applicant verily believes that all claims are now in condition for allowance and favorable action is respectfully requested. The undersigned attorney of record cordially invites any telephonic communications from the examiner that may assist the examiner in the examination and to expedite the allowance and issuance of Letters Patent on the subject invention.

Respectfully submitted,

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